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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

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Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
 Applicant must submit \$ 385 to complete the basic filing fee for a small entity.
- The oath or declaration is missing.
 A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The application was filed in a language other than English. Applicant is required to provide an English translation of the specification and a statement that the translation is accurate. (See 37 CFR 1.52(d)).
- Applicant must file an English translation of the application, the \$ 130 fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(i), unless previously submitted, and a statement that the translation is accurate (37 CFR 1.52(d)).
- Because your specification was filed in a language other than English, the Office was unable to determine
 the number of claims submitted. Additional claim fees may be due once the number of claims can be
 determined.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fee(s) required for this application is \$580 for a Small Entity

• \$385 Statutory basic filing fee.

\$65 Late oath or declaration Surcharge.

• \$130 for English translation surcharge required.

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	Form PTO-1449 Copies of IDS Citations		CD(s) for large table or computer program		2. Patent Practitioners of Record Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.32(c)(3)							
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3. Applicant claims small entity status.	2,520	2,520	Request for ex parte reexamination Extension for reply within first month			
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340 Design filing fee	330	165	Filing a brief in support of an appeal			
160 Provisional filing fee	290	145	Request for oral hearing			
	130	130	Petitions to the Commissioner			
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Number Number Rate Amount	770	385	Statement Filing a submission after final			
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RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts mailed August 10, 2004, enclosed herewith are:

- 1. Transmittal Form (1 pg.);
- 2. Fee Transmittal (1 pg.);
- 3. Copy of Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application (2 pgs.);
- 4. Copy of Executed Declaration and Power of Attorney (5 pgs.);
- 5. Patent Practitioners of Record Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.32(c)(3) (1 pg.);
- 6. English Translation and Certification (17 pgs.);
- 7. Abstract (1 pg.);
- 8. Check in the amount of \$580.00 for payment as follows:

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9. Return Receipt Postcard.

Applicants note that there may be a formatting objection with the abstract as submitted on page 16 of the English translation. To expedite review of this application, Applicants attach to this paper a replacement abstract commencing on a separate sheet in compliance with 37 C.F.R. 1.72(b) and 37 C.F.R. 1.121. Please amend the specification to include this sheet.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment occasioned by this paper to Deposit Account No. 20-0531.

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